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Confirmation No. 7066**Three-Dimensional Array Of Supports
For Solid-Phase Parallel Synthesis And Method of Use**

(Atty. Docket No. P26,015 US1)

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three (3) month extension of time, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to respond to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2005, from July 21, 2005 to October 21, 2005.

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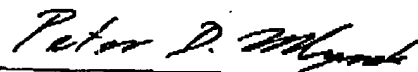
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